



SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 17, 1924.

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## WELLS TALE OF BRIBES

### Convicted Rum King Testifies

#### Smith Again Named as Recipient of Huge Sums for Protection

#### Bookkeeper Brought to Atlanta Prison Asserts He Paid \$250,000

WASHINGTON, May 16.—A witness in the case of George Remus, convicted rum king, testified today that he had paid \$250,000 for "protection" from the late Sen. Wm. C. Clegg, who was then attorney general. The witness, a bookkeeper, was brought to Atlanta prison to testify in the case of Remus, who was convicted of bootlegging and sentenced to 10 years in prison. The witness testified that he had paid the sum of \$250,000 to Clegg for protection from the law. Clegg, who was then attorney general, was later convicted of accepting bribes and sentenced to 10 years in prison. The witness also testified that he had paid Clegg for protection from the law. The witness was brought to Atlanta prison to testify in the case of Remus, who was convicted of bootlegging and sentenced to 10 years in prison.

## SOVIET SEES SECURITY

### Foes Exiled by Thousands

#### Many Executed and 10,000 of "Opposition Wing" Under Arrest

#### Trotsky Said to Have Played Big Part in Trapping Many Ringleaders

BERLIN, May 16.—With the arrest of 10,000 of the "opposition wing" of the Communist party, the banishment of a secret number of thousands to Siberia, and the execution of many by the Cheka, the Soviet government now believes it has suppressed the most dangerous movement to change the Bolshevik policy. Private dispatches which have arrived in Berlin detail the campaign against the Communist opposition group, which began with the return of Leon Trotsky to Moscow and now has reached a climax. The most sensational charge in the mass of authentic reports is that M. Trotsky himself acted as a Cheka agent in order to trap the ringleaders of the opposition movement while the Cheka was arresting thousands of common workers. The opposition wing publishes the charge that when M. Trotsky went to the Caucasus for his health, M. Dzhindzinsky and M. Unschicht, head of the Cheka, conferred with him. These men later spread the report that M. Trotsky was suffering from a diplomatic illness and his trip south also was a political punishment for favoring the opposition wing in the party. Accordingly, many leaders of the opposition flocked to M. Trotsky, confiding in him that he was a program of riding Russia of such extremists as M. Zinoviev and Stalin. Mr. Trotsky wrote articles against M. Zinoviev and M. Stalin and apparently assumed the leadership of the opposition wing. But, according to the present opposition, M. Trotsky all the time was working for the Cheka and at the moment M. Trotsky returned the Cheka under M. Dzhindzinsky and M. Unschicht began a nation-wide round-up of those opposition leaders who had confided in M. Trotsky. M. Trotsky was frequently reported in the army, navy and war department. The opposition now calls M. Trotsky "Agent Provocateur" and "Red Field Marshal."

## Whither Are We Drifting? No. 4

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## FOOD COSTS FOR NATION TAKE FALL

### Average of 2 Per Cent in Retail Prices Decrease; Farm Products Up

#### WASHINGTON, May 16.—An average decline of 2 per cent in retail food prices in the United States during the month ending April 15, last, was reported today by the Labor Department's Bureau of Statistics. The trend of wholesale commodity prices also continued downward during the month, the bureau's weighted index number including 404 commodities, declining to 148 as compared with 150 the month before. Decreases in retail prices in fifty-one of the fifty-two cities for which figures were reported ranged from 5 per cent at Buffalo, Minneapolis, New Orleans, Providence and Scranton to less than 1 per cent at Atlanta, Los Angeles, Portland, Or., and Salt Lake City. For the year ending April 15, the average decrease was given as 1 per cent. Decreases in foodstuffs and metals were chiefly responsible for the average drop in wholesale commodities prices during the month. Smaller decreases were reported in the prices of clothing and fuel and lighting and chemicals and drugs. Farm products, on the other hand, showed an increase due to advances in cattle, hogs, sheep, poultry, cotton, hay, potatoes and peaches. No change was reported in building materials, house furnishings and miscellaneous commodities.

## DOCTOR'S WIFE KILLS SELF

### Mrs. Mae Dillingham Ends Life Without Any Explanation at Irving Boulevard Home

#### Excusing herself as she and her husband, together with a party of dinner guests, returned from an automobile drive, Mrs. Mae Dillingham, wife of Dr. Frank Dillingham, went upstairs to her bedroom in their palatial residence at 425 South Irving Boulevard, at 10:45 o'clock last night and committed suicide by shooting herself through the head.

Neither her husband nor friends could explain her act. According to Dr. Chester G. Skinner, prominent Los Angeles dentist, Dr. and Mrs. Dillingham had given a dinner party in honor of Dr. Victor Vicki of San Francisco, who is attending the medical convention in the city. The only other guests were Dr. and Mrs. Skinner. Following the dinner, which was at 8 o'clock, the entire party went to visit a physician friend who resides on Oxford street and then returned to the Dillingham residence. Mrs. Dillingham suddenly excused herself and, without explanation, mounted the stairs, which lead directly from the hallway. Hardly had she more than reached the second floor when a shot rang out. Mrs. Skinner rushed upstairs to Mrs. Dillingham's bedroom, where she found her dead.

## DOHENY SCORES IN OIL CASE

### Supreme Court Upholds Son in Refusing to Testify in Grand Jury Lease Quiz

#### WASHINGTON, May 16.—Special government counsel in oil cases lost their fight today in the District of Columbia Supreme Court to compel Edward L. Doheny, Jr., of Los Angeles, to testify before the grand jury investigating charges of fraud and corruption in connection with naval oil leases.

#### Upon his appearance before the grand jury in response to a subpoena, Doheny refused to answer any questions regarding the delivery by him on behalf of his father of \$100,000 in cash to Albert B. Fall in Washington on November 30, 1921. The older Doheny has testified that this was a loan and the son told the grand jurors that neither he nor his father, lessee of California Naval Reserve No. 1, had done any wrong, but that he would not testify on the ground that his answers might tend to incriminate him.

#### Arguing in support of the motion that Doheny be compelled to testify, Atlee Pomerene, for the government, contended that since government counsel had informed Doheny in advance that there was no thought of bringing any charge against him, his refusal to answer questions was not in good faith and that when he asserted his constitutional privilege, it was for his protection not of himself, but of his father.

#### Without hearing argument by Frank J. Hogan, counsel for Doheny, Justice Hitz ruled against the government, dismissing the motion made by counsel on behalf of the grand jurors.

#### "I think, gentlemen," Justice Hitz said, "the privilege exists and this witness is within it. If the refusal to testify incidentally serves to benefit someone else, it does not detract from the right of the witness to discharge the rule."

#### Young Doheny was accompanied to the court by his father, who arrived here recently from Los Angeles.

## CONFIDENT ON BONUS

### Advocates Sure of Re-passage

#### Proponents of Measure in House Assert Veto Will be Overridden

#### Close Vote Predicted When Question Comes Up for Vote in Senate

#### WASHINGTON, May 16.—Congress prepared with business-like concern today to take up the veto of the soldier bonus bill, proponents of the measure insisting the situation was unchanged by the President's message and that the bill would be re-passed by both houses.

#### In the House, where the measure will be brought up on continuing tomorrow, bonus advocates were so confident of re-passage that scarcely a roll was taken. Likewise, opponents of the bill there made little effort to organize their forces.

#### Activities centered in the Senate which will vote on the bill, if passed by the House, probably Monday or Tuesday. Most of the members were deluged with messages and leaders were busy conducting polls.

#### While administration spokesmen characterized the President's message as effective, the situation, they said, had been fairly well crystallized for some time in view of the expected vote. There was little evidence of a concerted movement among opponents of the bill in the Senate to line up support for the President's action.

#### Most of the Republican leaders, including Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the floor leader, declared during debate on the measure that they would vote to override a veto. Other Republicans who made similar declarations were Senators Watson of Indiana and Willis Ohio.

#### Senator Smoot, Utah, one of the administration leaders who has opposed the bill, has been almost constantly occupied with conference meetings on the revenue bill and said today he would have no time to organize the opposition forces. The bill passed the Senate 67 to 17.

#### While numerous messages have been received from supporters of the bill, members also heard from opponents. Julius H. Barnes, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, and the ex-service men's American League were among them.

#### Little debate is anticipated tomorrow in the House where the vote on original passage of the bill was 353 to 84.

#### In a letter addressed today to each member of Congress, John Thomas Taylor, vice-chairman of the national legislative committee of the American Legion, declared "the service men and women look with confidence for you to keep the faith and override this veto."

#### It was known that what the measure would cost, Mr. Taylor continued, "and how the cost must be met. It is upon these questions—cost and principle—that the President bases his opposition, although he brings no information to the Congress which it did not possess when it voted overwhelmingly in favor of the measure twice during the past month."

## FLYERS REACH JAPAN ISLE

### Three Army Air Cruisers Land at Bleak Northern Rock in Asia After Hop From Attu

#### [BY WIRELESS AND ASSOCIATED PRESS] PARAMASHIRU ISLAND (Kuriles) May 17.—The three United States Army flyers arrived here this morning at 11:35 o'clock from Attu Island, the Aleutians, on their flight around the world.

#### [BY WIRELESS AND ASSOCIATED PRESS] ABOARD COAST GUARD CUTTER HAIDA, May 16 (By Wireless via Cordova, Alaska).—Three army planes left Attu Island today for Paramashiru Island on their flight around the earth. The aviators expected to reach Paramashiru Island, which is in the Kuriles chain at the northern end of the Japanese empire, between 3 and 5 o'clock this afternoon.

#### The three planes arrived at Attu Island, the westernmost of the Aleutians, one week ago today from Alaska Island, 550 miles east of Attu in the Aleutian archipelago.

#### From Attu the pilots laid their course for Cape Kronotski, on the Kamchatka Peninsula, 511 miles from Attu. From Kronotski they intended to fly southward along the peninsula, the distance from Kronotski to Paramashiru being put at 287 miles.

#### Chill, fog, unabated island bleak inlets with rockbound shores, volcanoes and a long stretch of hitherto unconquered Northern Pacific waters lie ahead of the American round-the-world flyers today.

#### The ocean stretch, 371 miles from Attu to the Kuriles, never has been crossed by air, nor has the long jump from Paramashiru to the Japanese group, another stretch of equal length.

#### Paramashiru, second largest of the Kurile Islands, is inhabited by a few Japanese, who are of the Japanese race, and a few Americans, who are of the American race.

#### Incidentally it is these volcanoes that give the islands their name, the Russian word "Kury" meaning "to smoke." Cosmacks from the Siberian mainland were the first to visit the islands, but later, when whaling was in its prime, the hardy mariners from New Bedford and other New England centers, proving the North

#### Several factors contributed to the clemency exercised by General Sessions Judge McIntire, who said he suspended sentence on the provision that Mrs. Hayes would remain in her home for one year and three months to two years and one-half in State's prison.

#### Judge McIntire further said that he had interviewed several physicians who had charged that Mrs. Hayes had not very long to live, saying that she was suffering from an incurable disease.

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#### WASHINGTON, May 16.—Soviet Russia has introduced another world innovation by commissioning women as active officers in the army and preparing them for higher staff and command duties. Two young women were among this year's graduates at the Red army military academy.

#### WASHINGTON, May 16.—The immigration bill, with its Japanese exclusion provision, moved today along the routine way of all legislation to the White House and the uncertain fate that awaits it there at the hands of President Coolidge.

#### The measure, having been approved finally by the House and Senate, was signed today by Speaker Gillette, but reached the Senate too late for President Pro-Tempore Cummins to attach his signature. It will be signed by him tomorrow and may reach the White House late in the day, but probably not until next week.

#### While the bill thus was going through the technical processes incident to its transmission to the White House, discussion arose as to whether the measure did not contain a loophole through which the Japanese might enter the United States as immigrants.

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## WORK RUSHED ON TAX RETURN

### AN AUDIT OF INCOME-TAX RETURNS FILED IN THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA REVENUE DISTRICT ON 1923 RETURNS OF \$15,000 OR LESS WILL BE COMPLETED BY SEPTEMBER 1, ACCORDING TO THE REVENUE COLLECTOR GENERAL. THE WORK IS BEING RUSHED, THE COLLECTOR PLAINED, IN ORDER THAT TAXPAYERS MAY BE RELIEVED OF THE ANNOYANCE OF WAITING A YEAR OR TWO BEFORE THEIR RETURNS HAVE BEEN APPROVED. MORE THAN 200,000 RETURNS WILL BE AUDITED IN THE DISTRICT.

### ICEMAN IS JAILED IN DIAMOND RING THEFT

#### Fred McDonald, helper to an ice man employed by a Hollywood concern, yesterday was taken to the City Jail on a charge of stealing a diamond ring valued at \$1,000 from the home of Mrs. A. P. Connell at 5335 Strand way. The ring was found in a pocket in McDonald's room, which was searched by police after the theft. McDonald was arrested after a search of his room. He is being held in the City Jail on a charge of stealing a diamond ring valued at \$1,000 from the home of Mrs. A. P. Connell at 5335 Strand way. The ring was found in a pocket in McDonald's room, which was searched by police after the theft. McDonald was arrested after a search of his room. He is being held in the City Jail on a charge of stealing a diamond ring valued at \$1,000 from the home of Mrs. A. P. Connell at 5335 Strand way. The ring was found in a pocket in McDonald's room, which was searched by police after the theft. McDonald was arrested after a search of his room. 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**TAX BILL RATES CAUSE CONFLICT**

**Conferees Lock Horns Over Several Provisions**

**Publicity for Returns One of Stumbling Blocks**

**Corporation Profits Levy Also Brings Breach**

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Provisions of extended contests on the tax reduction bill appeared today as the conferees locked horns over some of the more controversial differences between the Senate and the House. It was freely intimated that the conferees probably would have to return to their respective houses for instructions. Secretary Rogers issued a statement today assailing the full publicity proposal as unfair to small business and as opening the door to fraud.

**FIRM AGAINST IT**

House conferees, it is understood, have stood firm against this amendment which was voted into the bill by a Democratic-Republican insurgent coalition in the Senate. A similar proposal was rejected decisively in the House.

Apparently the greatest snag facing the conferees, however, is the Senate amendment proposing to lower the flat tax on corporations from 12 1/2 to 8 per cent and impose in addition a graduated scale of rates on undistributed profits. Advanced by Senator Jones, Democrat, New Mexico, the amendment received in the Senate solid Democratic support as well as that of Republican insurgents.

**SOME PROGRESS**

Senator Simmons, North Carolina, in charge of the minority tax fight and head of the Senate Democratic conferees, is determined to keep the provision in the bill. House Democrats, however, have not reached an agreement on it. House Republican conferees have declared against the proposal.

While good headway was made by the conferees on the numerous minor Senate amendments, they indicated that probably most of next week would be required to complete action.

**JUDGE IS SENTENCED FOR MURDERING GIRL**

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS) MOSCOW, May 16.—Kyzneff, presiding judge of the Voronezh State Court, was convicted of abusing his official position to force Mile. Agreva, a court typewriter, to accept his attentions, murdering her when she refused. He was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment. Kyzneff admitted the murder, but protested vehemently against the other charges.

**FRASER RIVER RISING**

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS) VANCOUVER (B. C.) May 16.—Water in the Fraser River is rising rapidly with the warm weather and heavy snows in the mountains. The rise now is eleven feet above normal. Continued warm weather may be followed by a bad flood in the lowlands of the Fraser Valley.

**PREPARING FOR WAR IN TIME OF PEACE**

**HOUSE RESOLUTION WOULD EQUALIZE BURDEN AND CURB PROFITEERING**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE) WASHINGTON, May 16.—A resolution proposing study by a special committee of means of setting up machinery to conserve the nation's resources in time of peace, so as to "equalize the burden and minimize the profits of war" was reported today by the House Military Committee.

The committee would be composed of four House members, two Senators, the Secretaries of War, Navy and Commerce and a representative of each of labor, capital and industry, to be selected by the President.

Recalling President Harding's recommendation for such an inquiry the committee report said: "If we wait for the outbreak of another war, the result probably will be that in the rush and excitement of commencing war, utter inadequate legislation will be formulated to prevent the outrage of profiteering."

**BRIGHT ANGEL TRAIL FIGHT IS CONTINUED**

**HOUSE FIRM ON MEASURE TO PURCHASE SITE IN GRAND CANYON**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE) WASHINGTON, May 16.—The House today instructed the conferees on the Interior Department appropriation bill to continue their fight to have the Senate accept the House provision in the measure looking to purchase by the government of the Bright Angel Trail into the Grand Canyon. This action was taken after Representative Cramton, Republican, Michigan, reported there was no prospect of an early agreement by the conferees, deadlocked for nearly three months over the proposal.

Renewing his charges that Senator Cameron, Republican, Arizona, was seeking to perpetuate control over the trail through claims which, he said, the Senator had staked along it, Cramton declared it was apparent that some high influence was being exerted to block the move to bring about government ownership.

**UNIQUE LIQUOR CACHE**

A pile of old automobile tires served as a hiding place for bootleg whisky at 5010 Compton avenue, according to Federal dry agents who raided the place yesterday and arrested Joe Covina on a charge of violating the Volstead Act. The agents reported they destroyed twenty-nine gallons of whisky found under the tires in Covina's back yard. Covina was placed in jail in default of bond.

**LINEBERGER HITS HUGHES IN SHIP CASE**

**Says Secretary Reversed Himself on Transfer of Seized Liner**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE) WASHINGTON, May 16.—Failing prior to his entering the Cabinet to have Congress enact a bill authorizing the transfer of the seized steamer Martha Washington back to its original owners, Charles E. Hughes, while Secretary of State, "reversed" himself and had the decision that he said ought to have been made by Congress made by the Shipping Board on instructions of the men, who were operating directly under and signing for him, Representative Lineberger, Republican, California, charged today before the House committee investigating the Shipping Board.

The Martha Washington was seized by the United States from Austria during the war, but its original owners became Italian subjects upon the annexation of Trieste to Italy. Mr. Hughes formally denied any connection with the actual transfer of the steamer and has stated that his interest in the case ceased before he entered the Cabinet.

Mr. Lineberger's statement followed the reading by Representative Davis, Tennessee, committee prosecutor of testimony by Mr. Hughes in December, 1920, before the House Merchant Marine Committee, in which he, acting as attorney for the Italian corporation, seeking the vessel, declared that Congress alone had the power to authorize transfer of the vessel to its original owners.

**Federal Jury Acquits Allen, "Father of 57"**

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH) PITTSBURGH, May 16.—After deliberating less than one hour, the jury in the Mann Act case against Dr. Helen B. Allen, the "father of 57," returned a not guilty verdict. Federal court here this afternoon.

Allen was charged with having violated the Mann Act by adopting a daughter, Gladith Allen, 16 years of age, from Washington, D.C., to Pittsburgh for immoral purposes in October, 1922.

"The whole thing was a frame-up," said Allen after the verdict. "and the verdict was as I expected it would be."

He said the case against him was inspired by a man whose name he refused to reveal. He said he had instituted legal proceedings against this person several years ago and had won everything possible to ruin him.

Allen expected to be freed from jail at once when he was given for his appearance in criminal court to answer the remaining serious charge against him. This charge was made following Allen's arrest in connection with an alleged escape in a down-town hotel with another young woman.

As to his future plans Allen would say but little, but indicated he would return to California, where he was arrested on the Federal warrant, as soon as the case yet pending is disposed of.

**CLAIMS TO BE HEIR TO VAST FORTUNE**

**WORD FROM OTTAWA TELLS OF SOUTHLAND ESTATE; NO RECORD FOUND**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE) OTTAWA (Ont.) May 16.—Quest for a legal heir to the \$14,000,000 estate of Gilbert Gagnon, who died thirteen years ago at San Bernardino, Cal., was believed to be ended today when word was received that Mrs. Sophie Gagnon Des Lauriers, Mesdames, Quebec, who asserts she was a niece of the millionaire, has put forward a claim.

Mrs. Des Lauriers said she had letters and other papers to prove she was the daughter of Maximilien Gagnon, brother of Gilbert Gagnon.

**UNUSUAL DAMAGE ACTIONS ARE FILED**

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH) SAN BERNARDINO, May 16.—Search of county records today failed to reveal the death of Gilbert Gagnon, reported in Canada to have died in San Bernardino thirteen years ago leaving a \$14,000,000 estate claimed Thursday by Mrs. Sophie Gagnon Des Lauriers at Messines, Quebec.

Belief that the story of the fabulous unclaimed wealth was circulated by mercenary heir hunters was expressed by County Recorder Fulton G. Ferand and J. B. Hanna, public administrator, who announced that no trace of Gagnon alive or dead was found on their records.

Several inquiries from Canadian residents requesting information regarding Gagnon have been received in the past year by Recorder Ferand, he said when told of Mrs. Des Lauriers' claim that she was a niece of the millionaire. Attorney A. S. Maloney declared that he had received a similar request relative to the death of Gagnon several months ago from a client residing in Canada.

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**TRUSTEES AT EXETER ACCEPT SEWER PLANS**

EXETER, May 16.—Plans for a new sewer in Exeter were accepted at a special meeting of the City Trustees, in conference with the City Engineer. The plans called for a new tank, which with the old tank now in operation, will make the capacity of the sewer farm sufficient for 4500 persons. These plans will be forwarded to the State Board of Health for its approval, and when this is obtained work will be started at once.

**NATIVE SONS ELECT; END CONVENTION**

**Resolutions Adopted Pledge Support for Uplift of Missions**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE) SACRAMENTO, May 16.—The forty-seventh annual convention of the Grand Order of Native Sons of the Golden West came to a close today after a final session which included the election of officers and the adoption of resolutions.

The most important resolutions receiving favorable action by the organization included one pledging the support of the organization in the upkeeps of the missions and landmarks of the State and another calling upon the State government to curb the traffic in narcotic drugs which was declared to be "appalling."

Santa Cruz was named as the place for the 1924 jubilee celebration and for Admission Day.

The 1923 jubilee will be in San Francisco.

**AGED RECLUSE Dies on Rancho; Wealth Great**

LOVELAND (Colo.) May 16.—Martin O'Brien, 74 years of age, a mysterious and wealthy recluse, was found dead on his ranch, five miles southeast of here, by Dr. A. J. Joslyn. According to the physician, he had been dead at least three days.

O'Brien leaves a fortune of more than \$150,000. He came to Loveland more than forty years ago, bought considerable land and started ranching. He appeared in town only to arrange financial matters. He made no friends and had but a few business acquaintances, residing alone on his ranch and hoarding his gold. He leaves no known relatives.

Dr. Joslyn was passing the recluse's house and stopped for the moment as the result of a passing scout of a horse in the house locked, but forced an entrance.

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## MONROVIA DONS BURBANK IN CARNIVAL GARB DRIVE AFTER WHITE SPOT

**Celebrate Fortieth Birthday Today**  
**Begin With Great Floral Parade**

**Greater Industry, Also Progress Boosted at Chamber Banquet**

**Will Follow**

**Local Correspondence**  
MONROVIA, May 16.—Monrovia is in a state today in celebration of her fortieth birthday. The city is decorated with blue and white bunting, and the streets are lined with flags. The celebration begins today with a great floral parade, which will be followed by a banquet at the Chamber of Commerce. The banquet will be held at 8 o'clock, and will be attended by the city officials, the Chamber of Commerce, and the general public. The banquet will be a great success, and will be a fitting tribute to the city's fortieth birthday.

## CHILDREN OF ANAHEIM ARE ALMOST PERFECT

**Local Correspondence**  
ANAHEIM, May 16.—The majority of Anaheim children are almost perfect, at least a large proportion have passed a 100 per cent perfect examination in the pre-school medical examinations conducted in this city. In a few cases there have been minor defects discovered by the examining physicians which, when remedied, greatly will aid the child in school work. These examinations are for the children, who will enter school next year, and assure the parents that the pupils are in fit physical condition.

## BUILDER ARRESTED UNDER LICENSE ACT

**Local Correspondence**  
SANTA MONICA, May 16.—O. B. Thornberg, 1821 West Avenue 51, Los Angeles, building contractor, was arrested this morning by local police on a charge of violating the city license ordinance. Thornberg was arrested while on Eighth street without first securing a license. When arrested, Thornberg was asserted to have been carrying on business without a license. He was taken to the police station and will be held until he can secure a license or post bond.

## TRANSPORTATION IS DISCUSSED AT BEACH

**Local Correspondence**  
VENICE, May 16.—Local citizens and representatives from beach cities met in the City Hall last night for the purpose of making a study of transportation needs and tariffs. It was pointed out by Carroll J. Daly, under whose direction the meeting was held, that the movement of people to and from the beach is a problem of great importance. The meeting was held in the City Hall, and was attended by a large number of citizens and representatives from the beach cities.

## CUSTOMS OFFICE ON SUMMER SCHEDULE

**Local Correspondence**  
MEXICALI, May 16.—Federal customs officials here have adopted summer hours for the handling of imports through the customs house. This means that all goods brought across the line must be brought for between 7 a.m. and 1 p.m. The change was made in accordance with the custom in Mexico, which permits officials to handle the goods during the heat of the summer. The change was made in accordance with the custom in Mexico, which permits officials to handle the goods during the heat of the summer.

## LOGS BOOST FOR BOYS

**Local Correspondence**  
The establishment of lodges of the Junior Order of Odd Fellows in the State was unanimously approved by the State convention of independent Order of Odd Fellows held in Los Angeles today. The resolution in this regard calls for the support of the program of boy education. The convention was held in the City Hall, and was attended by a large number of delegates from the various lodges. The convention was a great success, and will be a fitting tribute to the program of boy education.

## WILL DANCE AT MONROVIA FETE Child to Feature Municipal Celebration

**Local Correspondence**  
HUNTINGTON PARK, May 16.—Delegates to the Long Beach district of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal Church arrived here today from all sections of Southern California. There was a good representation of the different leagues at the Methodist Church tonight when Secretary F. E. Almon of the local Chamber of Commerce delivered the address of welcome. Dr. John Oliver of the Whittier Church was the principal speaker of the evening and the Huntington Four, a male quartet, sang. A large orchestra, composed of the Long Beach Central-avenue Methodist Episcopal Church orchestra, augmented by the local church orchestra, furnished music.



Doris B. Greenlee

**Local Correspondence**  
MONROVIA, May 16.—One of the attractive features of the Monrovia's birthday celebration tomorrow will be the dancing of little Doris B. Greenlee, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Greenlee. Doris, who is an advanced pupil of the Ernest Belcher School of Ballet Dancing in Los Angeles, will introduce the Maypole dance of children in the park, following the parade. With her she will call the other children to the dance and will give a solo dance as a prelude to the Maypole frolic.

## HUNT WOMAN'S BODY IN SEA

**Police Think Mrs. C. B. Kennon, Deserted by Mate and Baby, Drowned Herself at Pier**

**Local Correspondence**  
SANTA MONICA, May 16.—Belief that Mrs. C. B. Kennon of Los Angeles, whose husband, Clyde Kennon, disappeared early in the month with their 3-year-old daughter, attempted to find solace in the waters of Santa Monica Bay, was entertained by local authorities following the finding of a woman's coat, hat and bag at the end of the pier early this morning. It does not mean that I am a coward and not able to face trouble. It means that I cannot stand the strain of being away from my baby. I forgive Clyde for the wrong he has done me. I pray that he will see his mistake and give my baby a real love and not a selfish one. In the note was also contained the information that the woman wished her mother to look after the baby. Mrs. Kennon's mother, Mrs. J. J. Kennon, is Mrs. Juan Vandi, according to police reports. In the handbag found with the coat and hat was a rent receipt showing that Mrs. Kennon had occupied an apartment in the Drexel building, a Pacific Electric receipt which led police to believe the woman came to the Bay District last night, for the purpose of carrying out the written threat. It does not mean that I am a coward and not able to face trouble. It means that I cannot stand the strain of being away from my baby. I forgive Clyde for the wrong he has done me. I pray that he will see his mistake and give my baby a real love and not a selfish one. In the note was also contained the information that the woman wished her mother to look after the baby. Mrs. Kennon's mother, Mrs. J. J. Kennon, is Mrs. Juan Vandi, according to police reports. In the handbag found with the coat and hat was a rent receipt showing that Mrs. Kennon had occupied an apartment in the Drexel building, a Pacific Electric receipt which led police to believe the woman came to the Bay District last night, for the purpose of carrying out the written threat.

## PACIFIC SOUTHWEST BRANCH AT CALIPATRIA

**Local Correspondence**  
CALIPATRIA, May 16.—The Pacific-Southwest Trust and Savings Bank has added another to its large chain of banks. W. C. Davis of the Title Insurance and Trust Company announced that arrangements had been made whereby the Calipatria branch will take over the balance of the deposits of the Farmers' Bank of Imperial Valley of Niland. Hereafter all former depositors of the Niland bank will be served through the Calipatria branch.

## LARGE INCREASE IN LETTUCE SHIPMENT

**Local Correspondence**  
EL CENTRO, May 16.—Final reports of the Southern Pacific Company show that 9488 carloads of lettuce were shipped from Imperial Valley this season, an increase of more than 1900 cars over last season. It has been figured out that enough lettuce was shipped from the valley this year to provide at least one head for each family in the United States.

## METHODIST LEAGUES IN CONVENTION

**Delegates from Southland Open District Session at Huntington Park**

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## WATCH FOR SNIPPER OF GIRL'S HAIR

**Long Beach Police Search for Portly Man Who Cut Away Golden Curls**

**Local Correspondence**  
LONG BEACH, May 16.—Long Beach police today continued their search for the portly straw-hatted man whom they have nicknamed "Jack the snipper," following his attack yesterday on pretty Mildred Mayfield, 11-year-old school girl. Several golden curls were sacrificed to the snipper's peculiar obsession when she was home from school she was seized by the man. Hair from the left side of her head was torn off by a pair of shears, the child told Detective Sergeant Hanners and McDonald, who were detailed to the case. Her struggles and screams forced her assailant to flee before he could cut the remainder of the girl's curls from her head, she said. Police today were keeping a close watch on their way to and from school.

## DELAY CELEBRATION OF BRIDGE OPENING

**Local Correspondence**  
SAN FERNANDO, May 16.—As the new Mulholland street bridge on the Pasadena-San Fernando State highway will not be opened permanently to traffic until Sunday, the 25th inst., a change has been made in the date for the boulevard celebration originally planned for next Tuesday. The delay in opening the bridge advanced the celebration date Tuesday, the 27th inst. The Chamber of Commerce will take charge of the exercises and will be assisted by the Kiwanis Club and the Kiwanis Club of San Fernando. The aim of the organization is to include the Board of County Supervisors, Los Angeles city officials and representatives of the State Highway Commission.

## CHICKEN THIEVES BAG POULTRY WORTH \$500

**Local Correspondence**  
ONTARIO, May 16.—In a raid on the poultry house of J. D. Jackson, West D street in the Monte Vista district between 1 and 2 a.m., thieves carried away 135 blooded Rhode Island chickens valued at more than \$500, according to Jackman's report to the Ontario police today. Tracks indicated that the birds had been carried away in a motor truck and the job is thought to have been done by a team of men. The Ontario police are now looking for the thieves. The Ontario police are now looking for the thieves.

## TO PROMOTE TRAVEL ON COAST HIGHWAY

**Local Correspondence**  
SAN LUIS OBISPO, May 16.—At a meeting held this afternoon at Atascadero, attended by delegates from the territory between Santa Barbara and Salinas, organization of the California Coast Highway Association was perfected. The aim of the organization is to serve and promote the comfort of the traveling public and to stimulate travel on the Coast Highway. An advertising fund is being subscribed and at a meeting to be held next Monday at Atascadero, plans will be perfected for an advertising campaign to be put on in San Francisco and Los Angeles, to acquaint tourists with the scenic and climatic advantages of the Coast Route.

## SAWTELLE STORE ROBBED

**Local Correspondence**  
SAWTELLE, May 16.—According to reports of division police headquarters here the Rosenberg store was entered early this morning and more than \$500 worth of men's wear removed.

## UNION LOSES IN BAND SQUABBLE

**Santa Monica Removes Its Labor Control**

**Contract Gives Free Rein in Competitive Concerts**

**Local Correspondence**  
SANTA MONICA, May 16.—This city will have a nonunion musical band following the signing of a new contract following a showdown between representatives of the Musicians' Protective Association and City Commissioners. The contract is a notice that the city will have a nonunion musical band following the signing of a new contract following a showdown between representatives of the Musicians' Protective Association and City Commissioners. The contract is a notice that the city will have a nonunion musical band following the signing of a new contract following a showdown between representatives of the Musicians' Protective Association and City Commissioners. The contract is a notice that the city will have a nonunion musical band following the signing of a new contract following a showdown between representatives of the Musicians' Protective Association and City Commissioners.

## SOCIETY AT CALIPATRIA IN SESSION

**Officers Are Elected and Advertising Drive in "The Times" Lauded**

**Local Correspondence**  
CALIPATRIA, May 16.—The annual meeting and banquet of the "Calipatrians" was held in the Union High School Building Tuesday night and fifty were present. The following officers were elected and installed: T. M. Montgomery, president; V. C. Barber, first vice-president and chairman of the finance committee; S. C. Sorenson, second vice-president and chairman of the publicity committee; J. E. Griffith, third vice-president and chairman of the entertainment committee; A. C. Street, fourth vice-president and chairman of the decoration committee, and C. R. Prince, secretary and treasurer. T. M. Montgomery and V. C. Barber were elected trustees. Matters pertaining to the betterment and upbuilding of the community were discussed and a report read on the results of the advertising campaign in "The Times." Replies were received from Canada, England, Scotland, France, Cuba, Hawaii, Porto Rico and every other State in the Union and more than 500 inquiries were answered and descriptive literature furnished.

## Lomita Plans for Celebration of Odd Fellows

**Local Correspondence**  
LOMITA, May 16.—Nearly one thousand Odd Fellows are expected to participate in the celebration and carnival to be held here by Triple City Lodge No. 333, from the 16th to 21st insts., according to an announcement made today by lodge officials. The affair marking the beginning of a drive for funds to be used in building the new temple, which will be started this summer. Each of the lodges in this district, including Long Beach, San Pedro, Wilmington, Compton and Redondo Beach, has had a night of the celebration. The celebration will have complete charge of the program, and it is asserted, unusual efforts are being put forth to make the coming carnival one of the greatest lodge celebrations held in the south. William Straub, Noble Grand of the local order, W. J. and James Beckam and M. P. Ritchie are promoting the affair. The Rebekah lodge is also assisting.

## ADOPT ZONING PLAN; NEW FIGHT STARTS

**Local Correspondence**  
SANTA ANA, May 16.—A zoning ordinance by which all building and subdivision in the city would be rigidly controlled was passed last night by the Council after many weeks of bitter warfare between the factions favoring and opposing the ruling. Groups of property owners have engaged attorneys to fight the measure sponsored by the City Planning Commission and this morning a petition ordinance was put into circulation by its opponents. The ordinance has been urged as a means of maintaining the atmosphere and beauty of the city during its present state of rapid growth and development. Its opponents hold that it is unconstitutional and will work hardships on small property owners.

## CAREFULLY LAYS DEATH PLANS

**Noose Dangles Several Days Before Man Uses It in Killing Self**

**Local Correspondence**  
PASADENA, May 16.—Joseph C. Stacey, 40 years of age, today carried out his carefully laid plans and took his own life by hanging himself at his home, 900 North Orange, Grove avenue. According to the police, Stacey contemplated doing this act several days ago, when he carefully tied a rope to a rafter in the basement of his home here. The rope was left dangling for several days where even his wife was able to see it. He would not allow her to take it down, the police declare. Today his body was found suspended from the rafter by his wife. The police were called but the man had already died. Ill health was given as the cause of the act, the police say. Stacey came here from Pennsylvania and had been employed as a painter. His body was taken to the Ives & Warren undertaking parlors.

## LATCHKEY BURGLAR IN NEW ROLE

**Tries Ether on Sleepers After Entering Home But is Frightened Away**

**Local Correspondence**  
SAN BERNARDINO, May 16.—Within half an hour after he had successfully entered one home in the north section of the residential district and had been frightened away from two others, the "latchkey" burglar, who for the past two weeks has been active in his activities in Colton, Ontario and Redlands, early this morning tore a screen from a rear bedroom window of the home of Mrs. Addie E. Norwood on Arrowhead avenue and threw a bottle of ether in the face of Mrs. Mrs. Norwood, who was sleeping with her little daughter near the window. Half suffocated, Mrs. Norwood screamed, arousing the other members of the household who had just retired. The criminal, frightened by the noise, fled leaving no clue for the officers who arrived a few minutes after from patrolling the neighborhood following the other alarms.

## LIONS CLUB DELEGATES

**Local Correspondence**  
INGLEWOOD, May 16.—Leo Callkins, Arthur Porter and Volney Dawson have been appointed delegates of the Inglewood Lions Club to the State convention at Sacramento. The delegates from Southern California are to assemble at Sacramento on the 21st inst. and will travel thence as a caravan via the Ridge Route, according to Homer W. Snook of the Inglewood club, chairman in charge of arrangements.

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# TELLS OF BANDIT GUN FIGHT

Policeman Says He Fell to Knees and Crawled Toward Intruders; Witness at Murder Trial

Giving a graphic description of a pistol battle with bandits who attempted to hold up the Merchants' National Bank agency at Seventh and Hoover streets, February 20, last, F. W. Forbes, a police officer, appeared in Judge Keach's court yesterday as the principal witness for the State in the trial of Louis Perry, Ed Montijo and Tom Bailey charged with the murder of Patrolman Glenn E. Bond, who was killed during the attempted robbery.

Forbes testified that he and Bond were seated in an anteroom when a man he identified as Bailey ran into the room and commanded them to keep their positions.

"There were several shots fired," Forbes told the jury. "I dropped to my knees and started to crawl toward the next room from which the pistol shots came. I felt a stink on my forehead and realized I had been wounded. Looking up I saw one of the bandits in front of me. I shot and he fell. 'I got him,' I shouted, then I fainted." The man Forbes

# PLAN UNITY ON FARM PROBLEM

Agricultural Officials of Long Beach Action Taken Under Advisement

Menace of Overselling of Lands is Stressed

Survey on Situation in All Southland Projected

A movement for common effort in meeting agricultural problems was begun yesterday at a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce, attended by agricultural representatives of most of the important chambers of commerce in Southern California.

Those at the meeting formed an advisory council of the local chamber's agricultural committee, and the discussion disclosed a remarkable similarity of views in every community, particularly regarding the menace of overselling agricultural lands or encouraging inexperienced farmers or horticulturists.

**SURVEY PROPOSED**

Dr. George P. Clements, head of the chamber's agricultural committee, proposed that a survey of agricultural possibilities and actual conditions in all the southern counties be made through the Los Angeles chamber, whose agricultural expert, J. B. Vail, would gather the data with the co-operation of chambers of the other counties.

This data would fill an immediate need, because the Los Angeles chamber has found it necessary to refer prospective purchasers to farm land outside of Los Angeles county, particularly since its agricultural lands have been reduced by subdivision activities. With the proper basis for making a recommendation, Dr. Clements' department could send 151 eastern farmers desiring to locate here to the district best suited for the type of effort they propose to make.

"We never have and never will encourage men to buy agricultural land if they are not capable to work it or lack the capital to swing the deal," Dr. Clements said.

**SCORES OVERSELLING**

L. J. Hitt of the Antelope Valley Chamber of Commerce, said that district had been particularly careful to prevent overselling of agricultural land, which had been found to be disastrous because of the ill will that results from failures.

"We only want men that are capable farmers and willing to work," he said. "And we would rather undersell our valley than oversell it."

"That is the whole trouble," agreed Dr. Clements. "The farmer naturally has to deal in minimums; and we have been giving him maximums."

The proposal to share in a general survey will be taken up with the various chambers of commerce in Southern California. Mr. Vail's salary and traveling expenses would be paid by the Los Angeles chamber, but the expense incidental to the actual survey in each county would be met by the respective chamber.

**CO-OPERATIVE PLAN**

Collection and classification of such data would serve as a basis for many kinds of co-operative effort. Carlisle Thorpe, general manager of the California Walnut Growers' Association, suggested that the chambers of commerce form the best media to perfect the co-operative selling efforts in California's agricultural specialties such as nuts, fruit and allied products.

Although California is foremost in the Union in the co-operative marketing endeavor, Mr. Thorpe declared that every line could be made more efficient. He said the co-operative movement was as efficient as possible under present conditions, but that efforts directed by the chambers with their connections with the commercial and manufacturing elements in the communities could work a remarkable improvement.

"Any overproduction of agricultural products in the United States does not include our fruit and other specialties," he pointed out. "They are not affected by the European shortage, and they are as, for example, wheat. Our problem is merely a problem of improving our marketing and handling as it may be developed it can be improved."

C. S. Whitcomb, vice-president of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, is head of the new committee.

# ANNEXING FIGHT IN COURT HANDS

Superior Judge Quarta yesterday took under advisement a petition for a writ of certiorari drawn by several taxpayers of the "Greater Long Beach" district in which request was made that the City Council of Long Beach be compelled to bring before the court the record of proceedings whereby electors of the district recently voted to permit the beach municipality to annex the district.

The matter of annexation was voted on at a special election, December 2, 1923, and carried. The land it was proposed to annex is so situated that it completely surrounds two large areas of agricultural land which were not to be annexed. If the annexation proceedings are declared valid, it was said, Los Angeles city would be able to annex the city proper nor were these sections inhabited. While this cause of action was not alleged directly, it was stated that no testimony had been adduced before the beach City Council to show that the status of the property was such that the petitioners further stated that as a result of the election the beach many was about to assess them for municipal taxes and it was stated that because of the location of their property they would not be able to enjoy the privileges and protection afforded by the city to taxpayers within its proper limits.

# CONVENTION SPECIAL TO BE PLANNED

Coolidge Delegates to Discuss Arrangements at Today's Meeting

Arrangements toward securing a special train on which the Coolidge delegates from California are to go to the Republican convention at Cleveland will be discussed today when the delegates meet at the Coolidge campaign headquarters at the Angelus Hotel.

It is understood that the election of a national committeeman and other matters concerning organization will not be taken up at today's meeting.

The delegates will be the guests of honor at the Coolidge victory dinner, scheduled for 6.30 p.m. at the City Club, Eighth street and Broadway. Reservations were still pouring in yesterday at the Coolidge headquarters, and a record attendance is expected.

Most of the California legislators from the southern part of the State have signified their intention of being present, and each community is expected to have representatives there.

The dinner is to be in the nature of a rally and get-together meeting, when the departing representatives are to be toasted by Republicans of Southern California, regardless of factional feeling. Plans looking forward to a Republican victory in California in November are to be discussed.

# HOTEL WILL HAVE PLACE FOR PRAYER

Chapels to be Installed in Biltmore and Others of Bowman Group

A chapel for meditation and prayer will be placed in the Biltmore and other hotels in the Bowman group throughout the country will likewise be equipped, it was announced yesterday by John McEntee Bowman, president. The suggestion was made by Joseph E. Wilson, a lawyer of Philadelphia.

"In the beautiful Biltmore," said Mr. Wilson, "you have the last in hotel creation. But it is all for man. There is no suggestion of God in that stately edifice. Back of the pleasure-seeking mass of humanity which makes up the floating hotel population of Los Angeles or any other great city is hidden pathos and tragedy. To such the haven of a little chapel in the hotel would bring many a broken-hearted man or woman through the valley of hopelessness and desperation and give them new hope and a new heart to forgive."

Mr. Bowman announced chapels will be maintained in every hotel under his management as long as he lives. Plans for the installation of the local chapel have been completed. When the consecration services are conducted, Mr. Bowman suggested that all denominations should take part.

Why a Catholic, a Protestant, a Jew and a Buddhist, he said, "can not kneel together in the same room and find that strength and refreshment that come from communion with God, will never be able to understand."

"I predict that as a result of our action the leading hotels of the world will make provision for a meditation chapel for their guests. The modern hotel with its sumptuous appointments should find it no sacrifice to designate a space for communion and worship of the Lord."

# City Files Suit in Doheny Port Lease Dispute

The city of Los Angeles, through City Attorney Stephen and Assistant City Attorney Lucius P. Green, yesterday afternoon filed suit in Superior Court against E. L. Doheny's Pan-American Petroleum Company to secure a declaratory judgment by the court as to the exact rights of the company and the city in connection with a permit awarded the company by the Board of Harbor Commissioners for the use of 1200 feet of frontage or in all 48,000 square feet of land on Municipal Pier 1 at Los Angeles Harbor.

The city contends that while the permit has a thirty-year life it may be revoked at any time on a year's notice, while the company holds that it received a straight thirty-year lease.

The question is a legal one, and revolves around the interpretation of the word "mole" in the charter. If the court finds that the frontage in question is a mole, then the city could only issue a revocable permit. The company has already spent nearly \$2,000,000 improving the property for an oil export wharf and station and the city's revenue from oil handled over the wharf is large.

**BOWL MEETING TODAY**

Plans have been completed for the annual meeting of the Hollywood Bowl Association (The Community Park and Art Association), to be held in Hollywood Bowl this afternoon. The election of a new board of directors will be the most important business of the meeting, it is said. Officials of the Bowl also the read reports on the past year's work.

# HUNT BEGINS FOR MISSING SCHOOL BOY

Thirteen-Year-Old Youth Last Heard of Thursday; Police Aid Search

Search was started by police yesterday for Herbert E. Miller, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Miller, who was last heard of Thursday afternoon. The boy left home at 11:45 a.m. on his way to the West Vernum street School.

A search of the neighborhood was conducted by the parents Thursday afternoon and night but without success. They appealed to the police for aid yesterday morning. The boy at the time of his disappearance was wearing blue serge pants, a blue-striped tan waist and a black and red skull cap. He was barefooted. He has brown hair, blue eyes and weighs between sixty-five and seventy pounds.

# Carmel Myers Wins Order for Wages Due Her

A wage claim of \$500 which Carmel Myers, motion-picture star, declares has been due her for almost two years was ordered paid before Tuesday night by the State Labor Department yesterday in a statement issued to Victor, Hugo and Robert L. Halperin, producers of the picture "The Danger Point."

According to the contract signed by Miss Myers for work in a picture, she was to receive \$100 during the making of the film and an additional \$500 to be "paid out of the first moneys from the sale or release of the picture."

It is the contention of the producers that Robert L. Halperin took a \$25,000 mortgage on the picture to assure its completion, but as no return has been made on the deed Miss Myers is not entitled to her money until the mortgage has been paid.

The department found that the mortgage was executed after the signing of Miss Myers' contract and should not take precedence over the money due the star.

# FIREMEN BAFFLED

Apartment-house Blaze Causes Damage to Three Floors

Fire in the three-story apartment-house at 677 South Carondelet street yesterday caused damage of about \$15,000 and gave firemen a hard fight for an hour and a half. The blaze started on the top floor in the attic from an undetermined cause, believed to be defective wiring, burned out the third floor and damaged the second considerably. The first floor was damaged by smoke and water. According to police, the building is owned by Mrs. Frank Edward Williams and leased to Miss Belle Weatherhead.

# FOLK LORE OF SMITHS REVEALED

Tribe's Spokesmen Regale Rotarians With Statistics and Culture Notes

Deep, dark secrets, long held sacred with members of the ancient and honorable tribe of Smiths, were brought to light at the Biltmore yesterday when 400 Rotarians were told by Dick Smith that all persons named Smith have or have had parents at some period of their lives. Nine prominent members of the Smith tribe were the honored guests, each guest wearing a large letter "S" on his lapel. Each Smith was called upon for a speech.

Al Smith spoke on "Statistics," saying that there are 49,406 Smiths in Los Angeles county and more than 12,000 in the entire city. He spoke of the universality of the name Smith and translated the name John Smith into a dozen different languages.

Ed Smith spoke on "Smithy Intelligence." A Carman Smith discussed "Truth," bidding his hearers "stand guard at the door of thought and keep out all lies to the effect that business is a game."

Ad Smith spoke on "Home." Glen Smith discussed "Brotherhood." Irving Smith read an interesting paper on "Radio" and Herb Smith spoke on "Outsiders." The last address on "Song" was by George Smith, who introduced McIngrd Arnesen, the soloist of the day.

# ASSERTED BAD-CHECK OPERATOR ARRESTED

Paul B. Townner, alias Ralph Connors, said to have supported himself in luxury during the last year on money obtained from Southern California, New Mexico and Arizona on bogus checks, is held in the County Jail at San Bernardino on a charge of forging and cashing government checks. He was arrested yesterday by Sheriff Shaw of San Bernardino county, and William Ashe, agent in charge of the secret service. He will be sent to Albuquerque, N. M., for trial.

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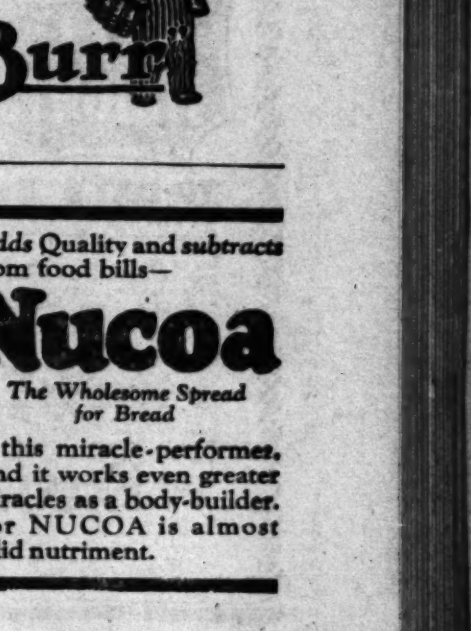


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phola and Bob Maxwell are  
be right up in front. In  
-meter event Duggs, if he  
will have plenty of company  
from Kenny Grumblin and  
Ken Year. These seven  
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PADDOCK SHOULD REMEM-  
in the sprint Charles Paddock  
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nning. Either Hank Con-  
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ear doped to win the  
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VAULT A THRILLER  
The pole vault looks like  
her good event. Lee Barnes  
ade the best record to date,  
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better than 12 ft. 6 in.  
Bates for the 127-club can  
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JAUNT TO PASADENA  
HUNTINGTON PARK, May 16  
The local baseball team will  
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# Looking Through The Lens At Bits Of Life.



They Win All Arguments—Three champion debaters of University of Southern California who have been pledged to Delta Sigma Rho fraternity. Left to right, Ray Brennan, Al Griewe and William Moore. (Don Gillum photo.)



Deserts Stage for Screen—Flora Maitland of San Francisco, actress on the legitimate stage, caught the film fever a few weeks ago and is now in Hollywood. (Don Gillum photo.)



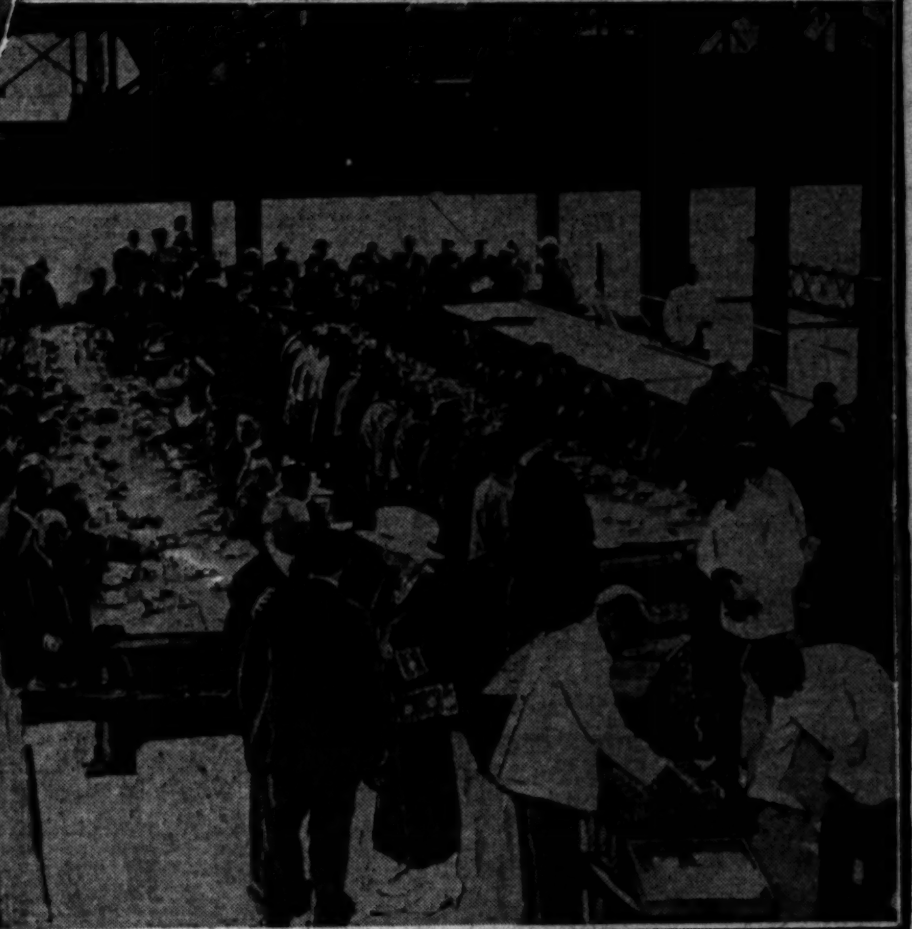
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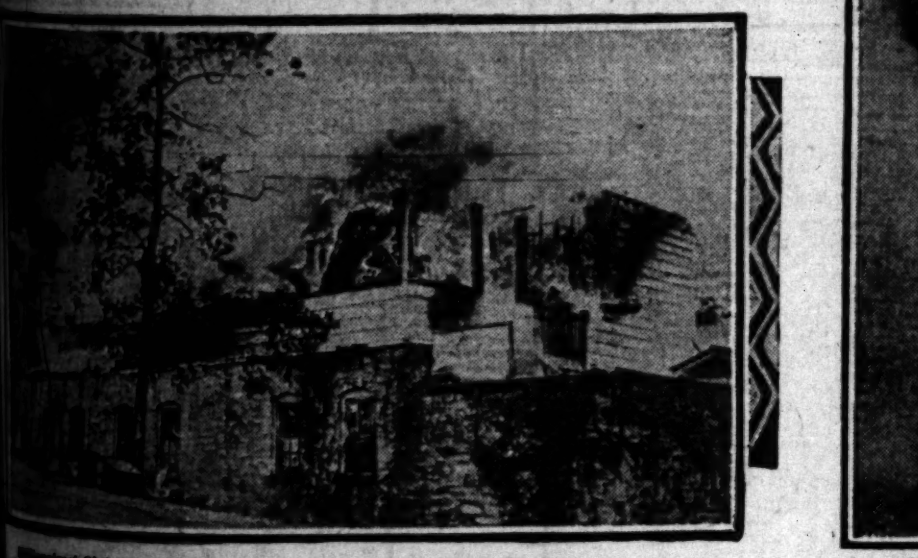
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Gave Islands to United States—Mrs. E. Fullard Lee of Honolulu, who held claim to fifty-two islands in the Palmyra group, 1000 miles south of Honolulu, and took steps to give the United States jurisdiction. She is in Los Angeles on a tour. (Times photo.)



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Mrs. Harding Attends Ceremony—The wife of the late President made her first public appearance since her bereavement at the corner-stone laying for the Warren G. Harding High School at Bridgeport, Ct., a few days ago. (P. & A. photo.)

She Passed For Joy—Mrs. Nancy J. Martin, mother of Maj. Frederick Martin, commander of the world flyers, had not been photographed for 18 years, but she posed at Connersville, Ind., the day she learned her son was safe. (P. & A. photo.)



# A CHUCKLE FOR EVERYBODY

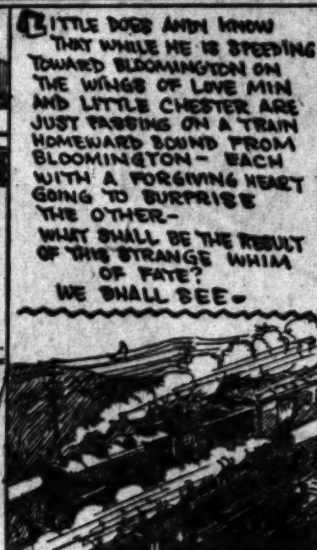


PANTOMIME : : By J. H. Striebel

Rough and Fairway



## THE GUMPS—TRAINS THAT PASS IN THE NIGHT



THE STORY  
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a small Montmartre  
Ella has the calm of a  
don't sister, who is at  
an elderly doctor named  
who loves Ella. The  
girl is dressed to the  
star.

LOLETTA, who desires the  
all of her little dream  
Ella's manager and pro  
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entertainment, while an  
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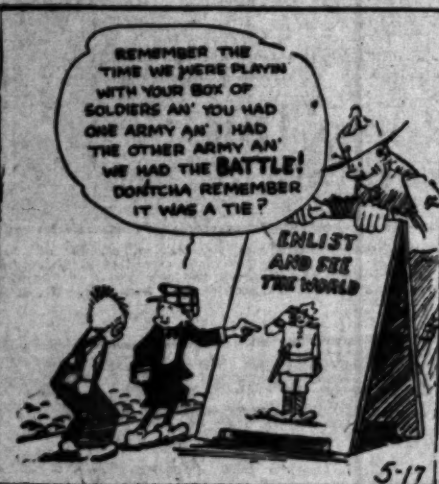


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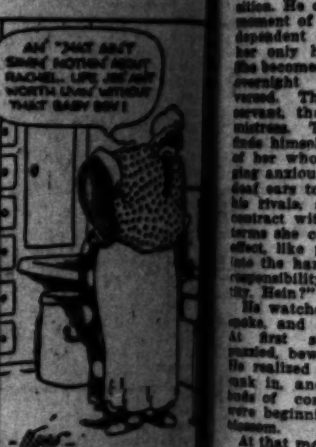
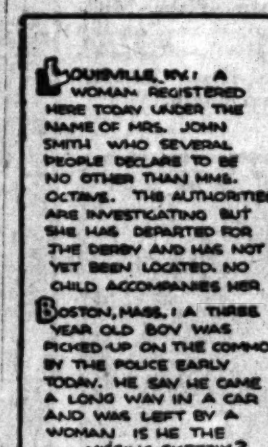
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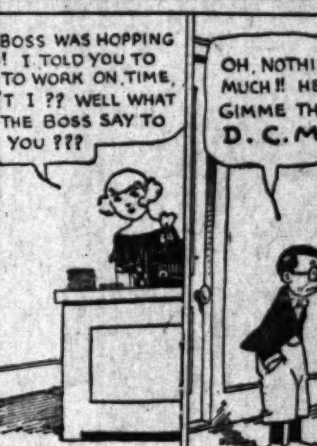


## GASOLINE ALLEY

Everybody Downhearted



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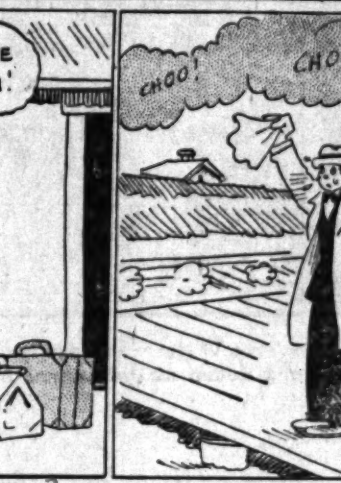


## ALONG FIGUEROA STREET

They Don't Always Practice What They Preach



## HAROLD TEEN—SANTA CLAUS DEPARTS





## DAILY MARKET LETTER OF THE NEW YORK COMMERCIAL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, May 18.—New arrivals of California 40s prunes, 11.75 cents; July to 12.47 cents, and March to 11.10 cents. A net reverse of 5 to 23 points was shown.

to get together with stocks on the spot, aggregate perhaps 14,000 shares, according to authentic estimates. Stocks on the Cote are estimated at present to be thirty per cent. In view of the differential between Coast and spot prices it is probable that the spot market will continue to reach higher levels as settled weather.

The demand for raisins is well maintained and developments of a week would indicate an increase in the volume of distribution through local channels. The demand for apricots is somewhat restricted because of high prices and shortage in stocks. Peas are minimally quoted. Currants show a change.

**CANNED PRODUCTS**

Interest in canned foods is largely centered in fruits. Standard cling peaches are the leaders. An assortment of carryover stocks at present is largely confined to Levi varieties, which have been popular in this market because of their date of origin. Choice is offering at \$1.90, while such varieties as Tuscans, Phillips and Hauss peaches are held at \$2.00. Apricot sales have been reduced to the point where lots from individual packers, except the larger factors, are practically impossible. Choice peaches are in better demand. Apricots, cherries and cherries are moving in domestic way rather freely, while exports are increasing. Choice peaches are uncertain as to price, but demand is much improved. Apricots are holding steady under summer approaches. Futures northwestern fruit and berries have been contracted in small quantities. Apricots are being selling a spec. memorandum in limited quantities.

**SUGAR BID UP**

Operators bid the raw-sugar futures up 1-4 cts. cost and freight, paying this figure for sugar of Cuba in June positions, this was apparently for the first time since the war began, as refiners were later successful in securing 9000 bags of sugar for May shipment at 4 cents, or 7. California fruit futures are down 1-4 cts., or 4 cts. cents basis for March and 5.50 cents for a quantity of Porto Rico. Later in the month of January shipments were made at 1 1/2 cts. cost and freight, while offers for June shipments were made at 18-16 cents, cost and freight. The increased sugar market was again reflected. Refiners were making moving consignment sugars at 18-16 cents.

In point of volume today's turnover of 90,500 in the sugar futures market made a fair approach to record of 103,150 tons reached during 1916. The last day of 1916 is 9 to 18 points toward noon later when it was demonstrated that 4-cent raw sugar had not so firmly established holdings as the favorable liquidation which depressed the general market to the extent of 12 to 15 points from the levels of the day before.

**COFFEE DECLINES**

A further increase in selling pressure in the coffee futures market brought out still weaker conditions. The cables showed a decline of 125 to 375 reals at Santos, the Rio term market was unchanged. The cables showed a decline of 1-14, while the dollar rate increased 180 reals. The increased assurance to sell came from trade circles at the London when news were made, September dropped to 11.75 cents; December to

for the day.

The new crop season is less exciting under way surprisingly with the outlook favoring wider distribution since values are on a generally more attractive basis than a year ago. Japan are approximately 18 per cent lower than last year as the result of the difference in exchange while it is believed that Formosa may also show favorable values.

The quiet conditions which have prevailed in the rice market over the past week can be traced back to a natural reaction after the extensive activity witnessed earlier in the year. It is in keeping with reduced business activity over the country. Advice with respect to foreign rice have shown that an irregular trend has prevailed.

Shortages of fancy blue rice have curtailed activity to some extent.

**BUTTER AND EGGS**

The butter market shows further weakness on all grades and prices moved off fully one cent a pound. The receipts are increasing. June options were very quiet, in fact there were no sales on the clearinghouse call.

The egg market declined to firmness on regular and storage packages of the highest quality. May options have been very slow of sale and June have been completely neglected.

Cost white extra, 28¢ @ 31-1-2 cents; extra fresh, \$1.02 @ 1.03; first, 30¢ @ 30-3/4 cash.

**METAL MARKET**

Copper dropped to 19 1/2 cents a pound for electrolytic delivered. The manufacturers of copper and brass products are following the market down and today the American Brass Company announced a reduction of 1-2 cent. In London standard declined 1/8 to 140, 1/16 1/2 for spot and 141, 1/16 for future, while electrolytic spot was off 1/16 to 140, 1/16, and futures 84 to 141, 1/16.

A. S. and R. Company yesterday recorded lead 1-4 to 7 1/4 New York for its contract price. This new level is on a par with that of the independents. In St. Louis the market for prompt shipment is to wit futures somewhat lower. In London spot declined 2 1/2 to \$29 1/16 but futures were firm and unchanged at \$29 1/16.

**OIL TRADE WAITS**

The oil trade is still in a waiting and uncertain mood. Aside from improved seasonal consumption of gasoline, which is well distributed, conditions are obviously not all they might be. The main fault is that more oil is being produced and imported than consumed and exported and stocks continue to pile up as a result. It is the weight of these stocks, which are of record volume, that the trade thinks will militate against greatly improved prices for some time.

Trading in the bond market today was checked by the absence of many interested investment securities traders who were enjoying the annual outing of the Bond Club at Sleepy Hollow. The expected continuance of heavy buying of Liberties failed to materialize. The first 3 1/2's touched a new high of 106.1 and several of the other issues equalled the record marks registered yesterday, but the governments failed to continue their forward movement. One of the features was the active bidding for Swedish 4's and which carried them to 103. The industrials were quiet.

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To be preached at the  
Hotel Theater tomorrow  
by Dr. Frank Dyer, pastor of  
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al Church. A feature of the  
service will be a lecture on "The  
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**First Presbyterian**  
Ministers: Hugh K. Dr. Walker Will Pr  
11:00 A.M.—"Planks in the

**Forward-Looking Church**  
of the Church are Extended  
**7:30 P.M.—The Responder**

(Illustrated by a recent pilgrimage)

**Special Feature:** The p.m.—**Black**  
**Wright, a Dutch**  
**Villains and Strangers Were**

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Rev. Herbert Boot  
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**Church of the Holy Spirit**  
**7:30 P.M. 1—Should**  
**2—Courtship**  
**3—Is It a Sin**  
**4—Did Jews**  
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**PERSONALIST**  
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Women's Day will be observed

**Bob Shuler**  
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**CHRIST**  
11 a.m. Presiding, 100 St.  
Sister speaks, no speech, and  
are silent.

**Santee and Washington**  
11 a.m. Bible Class, 100 St.  
Brother, Mr. J. A. A. Moore reads  
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**Methodist Church**  
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SECOND QUIZ ON  
VALHALLA PARK

Federal Agents Investigate  
Use of Mails Charge

Grand Jury Inquiry Will be  
Resumed Next Week

Records of Memorial Project  
to be Subpoenaed

A double-barreled investigation  
into the methods employed by the  
Osborne-Fitzpatrick Company in  
the sale of Valhalla Memorial  
Park burial plots was under way  
yesterday.

Postoffice inspectors, acting on  
information received through the  
District Attorney's office, began an  
inquiry in regard to the use of the  
mails by the company. Dist. Atty.  
Keyes and his assistants also were  
conducting an investigation to de-  
termine whether any of the State  
lawyers had been violated by the  
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The investigation by the post-  
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Commission to Ask Council  
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Step Taken to Provide Port  
for Railroad Systems

Projects Include Linking of  
Municipal Belt Line

Within the next ten days the  
Harbor Commission will ask of  
the City Council authority to use  
the second \$5,000,000 block of the  
\$15,000,000 Los Angeles Harbor  
Improvement issue voted a year  
ago.

This was made known yesterday  
coincident with the disclosure of  
plans under contemplation by the  
commission to make Los Angeles  
Harbor permanently accessible to  
the Rock Island, Santa Fe and  
other transcontinental railroads  
seeking tidewater terminals,  
through the completion of the  
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ing the port at an approximate  
cost of \$1,500,000.

The plans contemplate the link-  
ing of the eleven widely separated  
ports of the harbor into a uni-  
fied system offering any road  
transportation to all parts of the  
harbor, and construction of an  
electrically operated railway  
along Dominguez Creek into the Port  
District.

In addition to the completion of  
the Municipal Belt Line, the three  
Union Pacific berths on Terminal  
Island at an estimated cost of  
\$1,300,000 will be constructed  
through the proceeds of the sale  
of the second block of \$5,000,000.

Draining, the construction of a  
number of wharves and ware-  
houses and numerous street im-  
provements are included in the  
plans of the commission.

Recent announcement was made  
through the Times of the intention  
of the Rock Island system to make  
Los Angeles a terminal of another  
transcontinental line; of the pur-  
chase by the El Paso and South-  
western Railway of the survey of  
the Phoenix and Tidewater Rail-  
way from Phoenix to Tucson for  
the purpose of building between  
those points, and of the purchase  
of enormous terminal holdings in  
Los Angeles.

HOPE TO CHANGE COUNCIL  
These developments will doubt-  
less be greeted by the commission  
in presenting its request to the  
City Council, it is believed that  
the Council will view the con-  
templated improvements as "urgent  
necessities," permitting a depart-  
ure from the present policy of  
members of the Council not to  
place further issues of Los An-  
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Theodor Von Elitz is using his lunch hour and the end of each busy day on a wardrobe hunt for his next picture, following immediately upon the conclusion of his work in "Being Respectable." This is for "Hearts of Oak" in which he plays a featured role and for the first time in many months will don clothes not the last word in tailoring—his usual habit in pictures.

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Mrs. Alla Nazimova is preparing to return to the screen at the head of her own company. This fact became known yesterday. The brilliant actress has several stories in mind, which she considers suited to her, and is to appear in several important roles. She is not yet announcing her stories, however.

The star has been appearing on the stage in "New York, and in vaudeville during the past two seasons, following the production of "Camille" and other pictures after she finished her Metro contract. Now negotiations are under way for Mrs. Nazimova to release her pictures through First National.

Recently building a new house in Hollywood, Mrs. Nazimova lives in one of the most beautiful and artistic homes in the South-west. She loves California, and has turned a deaf ear to many offers to return to the stage in New York. She also owns a summer home in New York State, which she visits infrequently.

**RAMSEY WALLACE TO HEAD NEW COMPANY**  
Having won his spurs on both stage and screen, Ramsey Wallace is to become a picture star in his own right. According to the announcement yesterday of the Joseph Gonyea Productions, through Howard Lichtenstein, representative and general manager, Wallace will be featured in a series of productions to be made by that organization.

The first picture which Mr. Wallace will make under his new contract will be a film version of William Collier's recent stage play, produced at the Grand Avenue Theater, entitled "A Naughty Nice Girl."

Wallace's last local stage appearance was in "The Invisible Husband," at the Grand Avenue. Formerly he was leading man and star in various New York and London productions, after which he played numerous leading roles in stock in this city and in San Francisco. He also played star parts and leading roles in pictures. At present the actor is playing a feature role in a picture being made by Victor Fleming, at the Lasker studio. As soon as he completes this role, he will start work for Gonyea.

**Jackie Saunders Signs**  
When Denison Clift, out at the fox studio, was looking around for somebody to play a certain role requiring looks and vivacity combined with acting ability, his experienced eye no sooner lighted on Jackie Saunders than he invited her to sign for his next picture. Jackie did, and now all that stands between her and hard work is the collection of a wardrobe.

**Norman Kerry Trains**  
Norman Kerry, picture star, has the most famous trainer in the world, although it can't be said that the Universal star is entirely at ease over the process.

Kerry and Jack Dempsey, world's champion, are friends of many years. Dempsey is now making pictures at Universal City, and when Kerry returned from his trip east to finish his work in "Butterfly," the first man he met at the studio was the fighter.

"You're all soft and out of training," proclaimed Dempsey. "You are all in, and being as you're my friend of mine, I won't stand for it. I'm going to put ten years onto your life!"

"What?" faltered Kerry.

"From now on," said Dempsey, "I'll come and get you out of bed at 4 o'clock in the morning, and make you do road work with me. I'll put you through a course of bouts in my training quarters gymnasium before breakfast, and make you take cold showers. Also I'll supervise what you eat."

Kerry smiled wanly. "Ha, ha—good joke!" he began.

"Good joke nothing!" roared Dempsey. "You're too good a friend of mine to neglect exercise and get fat. I'll be with you in the morning—and either I'll make a new man of you or knock off your god-darned block!"

So Norman is out doing road work when the sun peeps over the Hollywood hills, is cutting down on his meat rations, and cursing Jack Dempsey, grim taskmaster, who's taken all the joy out of his young life.

"I don't want to live ten years longer if I can't get my sleep in the morning," he moans.

"Bunk! Come on and work!" commands Jack.

**Vera Reynolds Signs**  
Life looks bright for Vera Reynolds, these days. Miss Reynolds, who has just signed to play the leading feminine role in Cecil B. De Mille's next picture, "Feet of Clay," has been signed on a two-year contract with Paramount, to portray leads and feature roles. Miss Reynolds is one of the youngest actresses in pictures, and seems destined to a big career.

**Mae Murray Works**  
Actual production on "Circe," Mae Murray's new Tiffany production, has started at the Metro Goldwyn-Mayer studios, with Robert Z. Leonard directing. Especial interest is attached to this production because of the fact that it was written directly for Miss Murray by Vicente Blanco Ibanez. The plot of the story is being guarded with the utmost secrecy, so that we can't tell you a single thing about what kind of a lady Mae Murray will turn out to be in this picture. But at any rate we can assure you that she is going to be stunningly gorgeous.

James Kirkwood is appearing opposite the star in the picture, and others in the cast include William Haines, Charles Gerard and Thomas Ricketts.

**Theodore Roberts to Work**  
Friends and admirers of Theodore Roberts will be delighted to learn that this accomplished young actor will return to the screen via Cecil De Mille's "Feet of Clay."

**Betty Byrthe Buys Clothes**  
Even if she doesn't prove in the picture that she has many clothes, Betty Byrthe, star of "The Recoil," Rex Beach's story which comes to the California next week, has brought some stunning gowns home from Paris with her. And by the way, girls, dresses over there are very short, and nearly all have some scarf effect.

**William Russell Means Business**  
He isn't going to neglect his art for sport much longer, says William Russell, film star, even if his racing animal, Dictator, has been winning a lot of races for him at Tia Juana.

William Russell has, in fact, turned Dictator out to pasture, while he considers three excellent picture offers which he has received as the direct result of his success in "Annie Christie." These offers include two starring contracts and a chance to head his own company. He is neglecting the sporting pages of the papers while he thinks it over.

**"End of World" Soon**  
The world is coming to an end at the end of the week, at least so far as Jack Pickford's present artistic efforts are concerned. Not to keep you in suspense any longer, Jack's current picture, "The End of the World," will be finished by next Saturday if all goes well.

**Marjorie Bennett at Playhouse**  
The brilliant young actress, Marjorie Bennett, has been given the second lead in support of Pauline Frederick in "Spiraling Cleanly," which will be the next attraction at the Playhouse, following Doris Keane in "Romance."

In the meantime, Lillian Albertson, stage director, and her husband, Louis MacLoon, producer and manager, are to journey to New York shortly to produce "White Collars," now playing at the Egan Little Theater in the city, and which has had a phenomenal run.

**Picture Stars in Vaudeville**  
Many former picture stars are going into vaudeville this summer. Included are Gordon Glass, Zena Keefe, Flora Finch and Arthur Edmund Carew. Carew is to appear in a tabloid version of "Fidelity," which he played the role of Svengali in the picture.

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The Junior Orchestra, made up of performers from the players in the 143 elementary schools of the city, are performers whose love is yet keen for their art, and who infuse into their playing more life, vigor and genuine wholesome inspiration in a minute than most orchestras do in a whole concert.

The stage was quite as crowded as was the auditorium proper; the children, between numbers, sat on the floor, for there was no room for boys. The children range in age from a scant five to students who will enter high school this fall. And yet these players represent but 10 per cent of the students in the various elementary school orchestras.

The writer was unprepared for the real demonstration of musical talent offered. The last number, for instance, was performed without a conductor and the rhythmic precision was extraordinary.

Among the numbers performed which should be mentioned was a Mozart Minuet, a medley on American airs, the overture, "Magna," (Huff), "Acacia Club March" (Mackie), "Boys and Girls of California" (Ascher), and "Boys and Girls of California" (Ascher).

Clifford Lott was assisting artist, singing effectively in two groups of songs.

**DISAPPOINTMENT GREET COLMAN**

Ronald Colman, who has scored a big hit playing the leading role opposite Lillian Gish in Henry King's production of "The White Sister," being shown at Grauman's Million Dollar Theater, had the idea that he would get a chance to see a lot of European plays when the company went to Italy to make the picture.

The sum total of entertainment they have had during their seven months in Italy was a performance of "Ghosts" by the late Eleonora Duse.

Colman says he did not think it possible, but Rome appears absolutely devoid of theatrical fare with the exception of a cabaret vaudeville. Colman and some of his pals compromised by going to the bull fights.

"The White Sister" is Colman's debut on the screen. When he was engaged by Director King he was playing in Henry Miller's production of "La Tondrea" in New York.

**STUDENTS' RECITAL FULL OF INTEREST**

A satisfying presentation of artist pupils took place yesterday evening by violin and piano pupils by Mr. and Mrs. Thilo Becker at their residence studios. Presenting varied and individual styles, those who played were Shibley Boyce, Alice Caldwell, Edwin Yackel, De Vere Nicholson and Adelaide Gossell, pianists, and Purcell Mayer, violinist.

The Brahms Sonata in A for violin and piano was played by Shibley Boyce and Purcell Mayer. Miss Boyce also performed the Schumann Fantasia. Edwin Yackel played the Schumann Concerto in try her wings in European musical atmosphere. She sails in June for two years' travel and study, and will join Mildred Jamison, May Le Grandard, Wainly, pupils of Mr. Becker's now in Europe.

The recital in its entirety bespoke the high quality of the work which is being accomplished in the Becker studios.

**HAWAIIAN TRIO IS RIALTO FAVORITE**

The Hawaiian Trio, headed by Sol Hoopii and including Lani McIntyre and Glen Leslie, are proving favorites at Grauman's Rialto Theater. They offer a group of native melodies of haunting charm, both in instrumental and vocal numbers, and invariably evoke prolonged applause.

Lillian Powell's "Dance of the Sword," given to the sprightly tempo of Delibes's graceful ballet, "La Source," displays the young dancer's skill and physical perfection, and makes a wholly charming entertainment.

**GOLD STAR MOTHERS GUESTS AT "AMERICA"**

Two hundred mothers, whose sons fell on the battlefields of the World War, were guests of the Forum Theater at Pico and Norton streets yesterday afternoon for the second performance of Griffith's screen conception of Revolutionary days, "America." In a special section of the big auditorium, the Gold Star Mothers assembled, each being greeted on her arrival at the theater by Mrs. Grace Umsted Smith, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, Los Angeles Post, No. 8.

**ELLIOTT DEXTER COMING**

The big event of the week opening Monday at the Orpheum is the appearance there of Elliott Dexter, star of stage and screen, in a one-act play, "A Good Provider." George Whitting and Sadie Burt will also return to the Orpheum and will offer some new songs.

**Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments**

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